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**PATENT**

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

**In re Application of:**

<b>Application No.:</b>	09/704,364	<b>Examiner:</b>	Michael BROWN
<b>Filing Date:</b>	November 2, 2000	<b>Art Unit:</b>	3772
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<b>For:</b>	<b>MOLDED ORTHOPAEDIC DEVICES</b>		

**REPLY TO OFFICE ACTION**  
**OF AUGUST 24, 2007**

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
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**INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS**

This is responsive to the Office Action dated August 24, 2007 in the above application. Submitted herewith is a drawing replacement sheet for figures 36 and 37 for the purpose of deleting an ink stamp as per the Examiner's request.

If any issues remain that may be resolved by a telephone or facsimile communication with the applicant's attorney, the examiner is invited to contact the undersigned at the numbers shown below.

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